To: Caporale, Cynthia[Caporale.Cynthia@epa.gov]

From: Weisberg, Skip

Sent: Mon 1/27/2014 8:24:28 PM Subject: RE: J102 - Smell still present

Whoops! Thought I put them on the list...

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From: Caporale, Cynthia

Sent: Monday, January 27, 2014 3:18 PM

To: Weisberg, Skip

Subject: RE: J102 - Smell still present

Please contact them directly as I am responding to many inquiries regarding our work on the spill.

Also, I've asked Hoang to collect an air sample via TO-15 - mainly to see if we can see the compound in the air since this was tried at the site. If we do see anything we'll share with you.

From: Weisberg, Skip

Sent: Monday, January 27, 2014 3:15 PM

To: Caporale, Cynthia

Cc: dodd, jeff; Shinn, Susan; Kellum, Tom; Brachetti, Derek; Wright, Al; Curry, John

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OK.

Adam, Jenny, Eric: What room numbers?

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From: Caporale, Cynthia

Sent: Monday, January 27, 2014 1:29 PM

To: Weisberg, Skip

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Just when door is opened.

Folks to contact would be Adam, Eric, and Jennie.

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Sent: Monday, January 27, 2014 1:27 PM

To: Caporale, Cynthia

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"experiencing vapors in the refrigerators where standards/aliquots are being stored".

What rooms / refrig's are you talking about? Is it a wide spread issue? Multiple refrigerators or just one? Was a single lab refrigerator dedicated for these? Does the odor pervade the room from the frig, or is it just noticeable when the door is opened?

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From: Caporale, Cynthia

Sent: Monday, January 27, 2014 1:04 PM

To: Weisberg, Skip; Kellum, Tom; Wright, Al; Brachetti, Derek

Cc: dodd, jeff; Shinn, Susan

Subject: RE: J102 - Smell still present

Please include John Curry in any of these discussions as he was the person who handled the cooler etc. His gloves and materials were stored in the walkin refrigerators so what I had in the hood was probably not related to this.

We are also experiencing vapors in the refrigerators where standards/aliquots are being stored. Let us know if we need to take any action to reduce vapor release???

We have copies of all MSDS and I believe these were forwarded to Susan. Let me know if you need any more.

The material that arrived as a sample is a mixture of Crude MCHM/Crude PPH from a tank (so product material and not a water sample).

Cindy

From: Weisberg, Skip

Sent: Monday, January 27, 2014 10:50 AM

To: Caporale, Cynthia; Kellum, Tom; Wright, Al; Brachetti, Derek

Cc: dodd, jeff; Shinn, Susan

Subject: RE: J102 - Smell still present

Copy that.

EMSI: FYI. Cooler with samples from the WV Spill incident have an odor associated with them. We'll need to discuss decontamination and waste implications.

Skip

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From: Caporale, Cynthia

Sent: Sunday, January 26, 2014 10:03 AM

To: Weisberg, Skip

Subject: J102 - Smell still present

Skip,

Smell is definitely there but one would probably have to know what the smell is - it is very subtle. In J102 smell is stronger.

I found gloves and wipes in trash can which seemed to smell to me. I found other gloves in glass waste.

Put both bags in hood.

One cooler smelled (might be the one sample shipped in?) and I put two coolers in the hood. One cooler was already in the hood.

Cindy

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